# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
# LOK SABHA

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ONLINE REGISTRATION SYSTEM
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**Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

(a) whether various Regional Passport Offices have introduced on-line registration;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;

(c) the number of RPOs which had introduced the same; and

(d) the number of RPOs which proposes to do so ?

## Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI AJIT KUMAR PANJA)

a), b) and d) A channel for on-line registration of passport applications has been introduced on an experimental basis at passport office, Banglore on September 15, 2000. Its extension to other passport offices would depend on the experience of this experiment.

c) One at present.